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RESPONSE USING PAN DR-BINDING  
PEPTIDES

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.97 and  
§1.98

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Sir:

The references cited on attached form PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B are being called to the attention of the Examiner. Copies of the references are enclosed. Copies of the International Search Reports for two related PCT applications are also enclosed. In addition, a copy of the Supplementary Partial European Search Report that issued when one of the aforementioned PCT applications entered the European phase is also enclosed. It is respectfully requested that the cited references be expressly considered during the prosecution of this

application, and the references be made of record therein and appear among the "references cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

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